

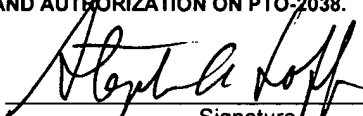


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In re Application of Reinhold Schmieding		
Application Number 10/665,480-Conf. #5525		Filed September 22, 2003
For IMPLANT FOR CROSS-PIN ACL RECONSTRUCTION		
Art Unit 3738		Examiner Christopher D. Prone
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